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In Re Continuation Application of:

Applicants : Mark Schmidt, et al.
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Honorable Commissioner
of Patents and Trademarks
Washington, D.C. 20231

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Prior to examination of the above-referenced Patent Application, please amend the same as follows:

AMENDMENT OF THE TITLE TO INVENTION:

Please amend the Title to Invention as follows:

-- AUTOMATICALLY-ACTIVATED WIRELESS LASER SCANNING 2D BAR CODE SYMBOL READING SYSTEM CAPABLE OF AUTOMATICALLY TRANSMITTING STORED SYMBOL CHARACTER DATA WHEN THE HAND-SUPPORTABLE UNIT IS OPERATED WITHIN ITS RF DATA COMMUNICATION RANGE AND AUTOMATICALLY COLLECTING AND STORING SYMBOL CHARACTER DATA WHEN THE HAND-SUPPORTABLE UNIT IS OPERATED OUTSIDE OF ITS RF DATA COMMUNICATION RANGE--.

AMENDMENT OF INVENTORSHIP:

Please delete the second and duplicate listing of David M. Wilz, Sr. as inventor, and please amend the spelling of the seventeenth inventor to read as "MingQing Ji."

AMENDMENT TO THE SPECIFICATION:

Please amend the first paragraph on Page 1 as follows:

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